

THE NEWS OF NORFOLK ON PAGES TWO, THREE, AND FIVE

WEATHER REPORT.

Washington, June 9.—Weather forecast for Saturday:
Virginia—Occasional showers Saturday, followed by fair; fair Sunday; variable winds.
North Carolina—Showers and cooler Saturday afternoon or night; variable winds; probably fair Sunday, preceded by showers in southwest portions.
Norfolk and Vicinity.
WEATHER FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.
Showers to-night and Sunday; nearly stationary temperature; fresh east winds.

TEMPERATURE, RAINFALL AND HUMIDITY.

June 9, 1899.
Maximum temperature 94
Minimum temperature 70
Normal temperature 73
Departure from normal plus 9
Departure since Jan. 1st minus 17
Rainfall in past 24 hours24
Rainfall since 1st of month 2.46
Mean humidity 74

CALENDAR.

Sun rises, 4:44 a. m.; sets, 7:25 p. m.

TIDES.

Norfolk—High water, 10:46 a. m. and 10:53 p. m.; low water, 4:36 a. m. and 4:35 p. m.
Old Point—High water, 10:25 a. m. and 10:32 p. m.; low water, 4:15 a. m. and 4:14 p. m.

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THE NEW SCHOOL

The Principals Give a General Outline of Its Scope.

Will Include Collegiate, Academic Preparatory Grades, Kindergarten and Primary Departments—Teachers of High Standing in Their Respective Lines.

Some time ago the Virginian-Pilot made the announcement that another institution of learning would spring up to take the place of the Norfolk College, and the ladies who are behind this new school have now completed their plans to such a point that they are ready to make their formal announcement, which appears below.

It was decided last night to call this new institution the Mary Washington College.

This college has been organized with the firm conviction on the part of the principals and their advisers that it will meet a demand which is very generally acknowledged in the community, and accordingly much in the interest of the thorough and advanced education of young women.

The principals state that the prospectus outlines a complete system of education, including collegiate, academic and preparatory grades. In addition to the higher classes there will be well-equipped kindergarten and primary departments, so that pupils may have the advantage of a systematic course of instruction from the beginning of school work through the successive grades of a full scholastic and collegiate course.

WHERE IT WILL BE HOUSED.

The principals have secured the whole of that section of the Norfolk College building, which is designed for school work. The advantages of these rooms are so well known to the Norfolk public that it is unnecessary to mention the desirable features of the large college-hall and the numerous rooms which are so well adapted to the use of the different departments.

The whole management of the Mary Washington College will be under the direct supervision of Miss Virginia Reynolds and Miss Mary Buchanan Randolph, who enter their new field of work with the interest and endorsement of the community after having been closely identified for several years with the educational interests of Norfolk. Miss Reynolds will have charge of the school of mathematics, and Miss Randolph will have the school of English.

HIGH GRADE INSTRUCTION.

All of the departments of a completely equipped college, or school of high grade, will be maintained, the majority of these positions having already been filled.

Mrs. Laura Herbert McAlpine will be associated with Miss Reynolds and Miss Randolph as principal of the department of history. Mrs. McAlpine is known and admired not only as a teacher, but as an accomplished woman, whose influence over young girls is most desirable.

THE ART DEPARTMENT.

The lovers of art will be glad to know that Miss Mary Gray will continue her classes as instructor in art in the new school. Miss Gray has been the inspiration of the art life of Norfolk during the past three years, and is enthusiastic in her plans for next session's work. Miss Gray considers that the studio of the college building has unusual advantages in the way of location and lights, and says that it is the best that she has ever seen in a private school, comparing favorably with those in which she has studied in New York.

VOCAL MUSIC DEPARTMENT.

Miss Alice Oliver, who has won a most enviable position among the cultivated musical people of Norfolk, will return next year to take charge of the vocal music department. Miss Oliver has had exceptional advantages in preparing herself as a teacher and has proved the value of the training she has received by the eminent success with which she has filled positions of prominence and responsibility. Her musical education and the training of her voice were conducted by Uni Lund, a most successful Norwegian music teacher of New York. After very thorough instruction, extending through a period of seven years, Miss Oliver taught in the University of Syracuse under the direct supervision of Uni Lund, thus having the benefit of the advice and criticism of her former instructor. Afterwards Miss Oliver had the additional advantage of special lessons in New York City under Emily Winant and other well known vocalists. At this time Miss Oliver paid especial attention to the study and interpretation of oratorio music, as well as to the presentation of the great masterpieces of her art as rendered on the operatic stage of New York. Miss Oliver has had the discipline and training which can only be gained in the teaching of large classes and advanced pupils, having had entire charge of the vocal music department in colleges numbering several hundred students.

MISS MACY TO RETURN.

An engagement has been completed with Miss Eleanor Ten Eyck Macy, a graduate of the New England Conservatory, whose former success in Norfolk as instructor in physical culture and elocution has induced her, after an absence of two years, to return to continue her work in these departments.

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ments. During these two years Miss Macy has been actively engaged in the practice and study of her art, keeping in touch with the most approved ideas and methods.
The principals of the school are in communication with graduates of Bryn Mawr, Wellesley and Ann Arbor and intend to secure from these colleges competent teachers of Latin and science and of French and German.
They will soon be in a position to announce a satisfactory engagement for the department of instrumental music, and are also especially interested in making desirable arrangements for the kindergarten, primary and intermediate departments. Circulars will soon be issued giving a complete prospectus.

PLEASANT SCHOOL PICNIC.

TUCKER-BLICK SCHOOL AT CITY PARK—COMMENCEMENT JUNE 27TH.

The pupils and teachers of the Tucker and Blick school held their third annual outing yesterday at the City Park. About one hundred and sixty pupils and the entire faculty, consisting of the Misses Jennie Tucker, Lovey Blick, Hattie Newbill and Neva Reid, participated and greatly enjoyed the day. Refreshments—ice cream and lemonade—were furnished in abundance. The commencement exercises of the school, which are always looked forward to with pleasure, will be held at the Academy of Music June 27th.

DECREASED SHIPMENTS

May Figures Show a Falling Off in Truck From May 1898.

A Late Season Throws Heavy Quantities of Strawberries on a Full Market—Cabbage Crop Brings High Figures—Prices Good.

Through the courtesy of Mr. E. E. Dawes, Secretary and Statistician of the Norfolk Board of Trade and Business Men's Association, the Virginian-Pilot is enabled to present the following comparative figures of truck shipments to its readers:

The figures as a whole indicate a falling off last month over the shipments for the same month of 1898. This is especially marked in the matters of berries, which shows a decline of 70,879 crates. This is said to be due to the lateness of the crop and throwing large amounts on the May market in competition with the berries from other points, causing a bad slump in prices. Prices fell so low that, in some instances, shippers are said not to have realized the cost of crates, picking, packing, hauling and freight charges.

Cabbage also fell off 147,051 barrels and crates, but prices on this product have been high and firm. Peas also show a drop of 52,830 baskets and tomatoes on account of a late crop, dropped 551 boxes.

	1898.	1899.
Asparagus, boxes.....	4,122	3,539
Berries, crates.....	180,705	129,826
Beans, Lima, baskets.....	292	516
Beets, barrels.....	2,451	3,774
Beans, Snap, baskets.....	1,282	1,174
Cabbage, bbls. & crates.....	181,169	54,118
Cucumbers, barrels.....	548	376
Fish, fresh, barrels.....	2,280	1,766
Kale.....	106
Lettuce, barrels.....	448	37
Lettuce, baskets.....	1,766	2,563
Potatoes, sweet, barrels.....	20	1,704
Potatoes, Irish, barrels.....	2,425	1,409
Peas, barrels.....	1,715	2,538
Peas, baskets.....	91,218	38,728
Radishes, barrels.....	2,253	1,979
Radishes, baskets.....	4,548	13,021
Spinach, barrels.....	173	3,373
Turnips, barrels.....	385	412
Tomatoes, boxes.....	905	354

On the whole, prices have been good and truckers will realize good returns. Some of the local truck growers secure four crops a year, and if they miss on some things, usually hit the market right on others, thus maintaining a very satisfactory average result.

PEOPLE'S FORUM.

NOTE.—The People's Forum being freely open to all parties, classes, persons, views and capacities, the Virginian-Pilot is responsible for none of the statements nor opinions expressed therein, nor for the style in which they are set forth. The ignorant and uneducated shall be heard here equally with the learned.

Flushing the Streets Etc.

Editor Virginian-Pilot: Instead of expending a large sum of money for inaugurating a system of water meters, would it not be much better to lay an auxiliary system of water pipes along the principal streets for the purpose of using water from the Elizabeth to flood the streets and extinguish fires. The obvious advantage of salt water in case of fires need not be further mentioned. From a sanitary point of view, salt water for cleaning the streets cannot be equalled. In the hottest and most dusty weather the streets can be kept absolutely clean and free of dust, besides the air will be kept purer and cooler. The power necessary for pumping can be at very little additional expense be supplied by the sewerage plant, and as the pipes would be small and near the surface, the cost of laying would not be large. Denver, Col., has a system of flooding for street cleaning, and has the reputation of being one of the cleanest and healthiest cities in the world. The Board of Health should give this matter thoughtful consideration, and if found practical, recommend its adoption by the Councils. The great saving to the city in its present water supply by the adoption of this system would effectually dispel all fear of water famines. Respectfully,

LAURENCE WARING.

June 9, 1899.

To Exhibit Railway Patents.

The small exhibit house started on the beach in front of the Hygeia Hotel, at Old Point, recently, has been completed and when the railway mechanics and master car-builders meet in annual session there next week they will find this little structure filled with the samples of useful railway patents. The conventions will draw about 1,500 railroad men from all over the country.

MR. WHITEHEAD WINS

Takes the Tennis Championship at the Country Club.

The Contest Was Between Mr. H. G. Whitehead and Mr. J. S. Taylor—Dance at the Club Last Night—Many Comical Events this Afternoon.

The tennis championship of the Country Club was taken away from Mr. J. Saunders Taylor in the contest yesterday afternoon by Mr. Hugh G. Whitehead. The contest was a pretty one, and excited more interest than any seen at the club in a long time. The scores were 6-2, 1-6 and 6-1.

The club court is one of the prettiest in the country, as smooth and level as a billiard table, and when the game was played yesterday afternoon the intense heat of the day had subsided, and the breezes from the river made the weather condition very pleasant. The excessive heat of this week has kept a great many away from the club in the afternoon, and there has been a less number of entries in the different contests because of this also, but this afternoon gives promise of being more pleasant.

The shooting contest between ladies and the quilts contest were postponed from yesterday until this afternoon. Besides those contests this afternoon there will be a sack race, a three-legged race, a wheelbarrow race, an egg and ladle race, and a potato race, and also an exhibition game of snigger. Most of these sports were scheduled to take place earlier in the week, but owing to the heat and the inability of all the members to be present during the week and also because of the determination of the committee to make Saturday the biggest day of all, they were postponed.

Last night, from 8 to 11 o'clock, was devoted to dancing at the club-house, the Naval Post band furnishing the music. There was a large assemblage of club members and their invited friends, and the hop was one of the most enjoyable of the season. A larger number of ladies were present than has attended the club during this week.

The regular Saturday reception will be held this afternoon, and the Naval Post band will play from 5 to 9 o'clock.

THEY ARE FINE PLAYERS.

The contestants for the championship in the tennis game yesterday afternoon are among the best players of this vicinity. Mr. Taylor had held the championship of the club for a year or more, and made a strong fight to retain it, but was outmatched by Mr. Whitehead. These two players will go to Newport, R. I., in August, to enter the international lawn-tennis contests to be held at that place. They will probably make the trip to Newport on a sailing yacht.

"Like diamonds raindrops glisten," Drops of Hood's Sarsaparilla are precious jewels for the blood which glisten in their use.

MUSIC AT OCEAN VIEW.

UNDER DIRECTION OF PROF. KRUGER.

Commencing Saturday, June 10th, there will be music on the pavilion evenings from 8 to 10 p. m. Sunday sacred music from 8:30 p. m. to 9:30 p. m.

For the coming season trains will leave Norfolk for Ocean View every 20 minutes. In the afternoon on the hours and halves.

Local Stock Speculation.

Yesterday was a very lively one on the stock market. The heaviest Norfolk dealings were in sugar that has shown great strength of late, and advanced point by point until yesterday at closing it reached 1.57 1/4.

Cotton showed considerable weakness on account of being off season, and trading was light in this staple.

Grain was also rather weak. Trade in this line is holding off for to-day's government crop report.

It is worth your while to look into the merits of The Gale Jewelry Company's Diamond and Watch Clubs. Ninth club now forming; no installment plan, but \$1 a week.

Quarantine Removed.

Mr. Clarence W. Murphey, travelling passenger agent of the Southern Pacific (Sunset Route), called on Norfolk friends yesterday. He states that the recent reports of stoppage of Southern Pacific traffic at the Texas line was totally false, that the line never missed a train and that Thursday of this week the restrictions on traffic via New Orleans were removed. The report was founded on quarantine of passengers from New Orleans only, and stoppage was avoided by running into Texas via other points.

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Relief Came at Last.

The rain early yesterday morning had the effect of finishing the heat to a limited extent, the maximum temperature rising to only 94, whereas, on Thursday it was 99, and 98 on Wednesday. Last night it rained again—in fact, it stormed. The air was full of electricity and the lightning flashed and the thunder roared and rolled as they seldom do. The rain came down in torrents, cooling the heated atmosphere and relieving the people of much suffering.

The Power of the Press.

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Ladies' Bathing Stockings—can be worn without garters—extra heavy sole—lace stripe top—12 1/2c. a pair.

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Children's All-wool Flannel Bathing Suits—skirt yoke and braid trimmed with 3 rows of white braid, \$1 1/2c. Ages 6 to 16 years.

Children's Navy Mohair Bathing Suits—beautifully trimmed with white braid—\$2. Ages 6 to 16 years.

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